

September 6, 2011

Carolyn Small  
Postsecondary Approval and Registration Administrator  
Iowa College Student Aid Commission  
200 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Fourth Floor  
Des Moines, Iowa 50309

Dear Ms. Small:

Jones International University (the “**University**”), founded in 1993 and licensed and located in Colorado, is regionally accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and offers online higher education to busy professionals who are seeking to improve their education and their future. On June 23-24, 2011, the HLC continued Jones International University’s accreditation and updated the University’s status as follows:

**Current Status of Jones International University**

Jones International University, located in Centennial, Colorado and offering online programs, is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission; it is on Notice.

The University provides all instruction solely over the internet, although faculty members may at times reside in the state. The University does not have a local address or telephone number in the state of Iowa. However, the University conducts national and regional advertising. While in the past advertising included yellow page ads with a toll-free number, the University has discontinued this practice and has taken steps to ensure these ads do not originate within Iowa.

Per correspondence with your office, the University is submitting this Application for Approval and Registration of Postsecondary School for all programs, as all programs are offered in Iowa through the University’s distance learning curriculum.

With respect to the requested information, the University is committed to its Iowa students and the delivery of consistent and quality programs to those students. Accordingly, the University agrees to provide alternatives to students to complete programs at other institutions if the University closes the program before students have completed their courses of study.

Thank you for your assistance and consideration.

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Senior Vice Chancellor and Chief Academic Officer